VISITS HIS WIFE, WHO SPURNS HIM

Dr. Peltier's Bride Declines to Live With Him.

OTHER NEWS OF MANCHESTER

Finance Committee Defers Action of Resolution About City Funds-A Lamp Explosion-Personals and Briefs.

Manchester Bureau, Richmond Times, 1 No. 1102 Hull Street.

the human body-a weak heart, stomach, Dr. Joseph Peitier, lawyer, linguist, docliver or kidneys or a weakness in any other tor, machinist and a few other things, and of whom there has been so much public notice given lately, was released organ makes a sick person. Exposure invariably strikes hardest at the weak point. from the jail in Richmond yesterday morning, and spent last night in Man-chester, at his -ormer boarding house, In many instances irregular menstruation is the weak link in a woman's health, and the home of Mr. Ole Olsen. a cold in this instance especially is attended by harrowing results. Menstruation be-

Dr. Peltier will, he says, accept a po-ition with the Chesapeake and Ohlo Railway Company as machinist and remain in Richmond to prove to the people that he is an honest man. He was arrested about two months ago

on a charge of assaulting a young girl of Manchester. The charge was brought just as he was about to marry the girl. When in the Police court in Richmond the marriage of the two annulled the proceedings. Talls girl, now his wife, is the daughter of Mr. Englehart, of this city, and says she is only eighteen years old. Soon after getting out of this trouble, Peltier was held on the charge of not paying his bill at Ford's Hotel. For this he served thirty days in jail. More trouble folloged this, in the shape of several people writing to the police and the period of the police and the period of the period o as to him, and at one time he was al-leged to be the husband of several wives. As a suspicious character, he was given ninety days in jail. He was serving this sentence when Vice-Consul P. A. S. Brine appeared before Justice Crutchfield and asked for his release, as no further charges had been made against him. This was effected yesterday morn-

As soon as he was released, Peltier went to the home of his girl bride in Manchester, Mrs. Peltier, who had only Manchester. Mrs. Pelifer, who had only a few weeks ago, before spectators in the Police Court of Richmond, swore to love the man, turned against him, saying she did not love him, and did not expect to live with him. There was a rather stormy scene between the was a rather stormy scale between the couple, but there was no serious trou-ble. The girl wife firmly declares that she will not live with her husband.

ble. The gri whe army declars has she will not live with her husband.

DEPERRED THAL NEXT MEETING. At the meeting of the Finance Committee last night the resolution offered in the Council directing the withdrawal of the city funds from the Merchants and Mechanics Bank was discussed and laid on the table until the next meeting, thirty days hence, when the members will have had time enough to think over the matter. A motion to table the resolution was strongly opposed. Mr. L. M. Nunnally and Captain W. W. Pool were for leaving the money where it now is. Mr. Nunnally cited a case where the city had borrowed money from the bank, and he said it being a home institution he thought such a a home institution he thought such a course would be an injustice to it. There was some discussion of the subject, but a motion to lay over until the next meet-

a motion to lay over until the fixt fleeting finally prevailed.

A nice question came up in regard to the arc lights on the railroad, for which Manchester is being paid. As the lights are a gift from the Passenger and Power Company to the city, the question arose s to the moral right of the Council to accept money from the railroad for some-thing given the city. Mr. Pool will go before the company and state the case. asking the company to send their bill to oad for the six lamps and to

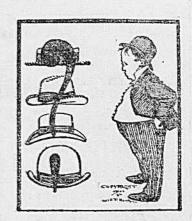
By the rare presence of mind in time of danger the home of Mr. Catlett, in Swansboro, was saved last Thursday night from destruction by fire. Mr. Catlett was ready to retire for the night, and going to a swinging lamp in the room, was attempting to be a swinging lamp in the room, was attempting to be a swinging lamp in the room. blow it out. His wife and baby were sitting at a distance. The first puff he the lamp exploded, sending pieces of glass through the room and enveloping the room in a blaze. Mr. Catlett did not hesitate a moment, but running to where the haby was asleep, he snatched the blanket from its bed and smothered the blaze before any damage could be done. PERSONALS AND BRIEFS.

Miss Figgat is visiting Miss Minnle Welsiger at her home, on Perry Street. Mrs. Corrie Adams, who has been sick for the past three weeks, was reported to be somewhat worse yesterday, Mrs. Lipscomb, mother of Captain Lipscomb, and an old and highly respected

Mail Schedules:

May 1st Edition.

One Yours for the asking.



Straws-to-day.

both straws and felts.

If it's a question of style-all styles are here.

If it's a question of price-all

prices are here. If it's a question of face-well,

we're not responsible for your face,





bear all the strain. It is just so with

comes suppressed and painful and excruci-

ating suffering results. The nerves give

way and ailments multiply fast until dis-

ease has weakened the whole system.

munity and Madam Marliani is encouraged and helped in her musical work by the used three bottles of Wine of Cardui and a health and energy she derives from taking package of Thedford's Black-Draught. I Wine of Cardui. In writing of her case CHAIN is only as strong as its weak "I consider Wine of Cardui better than est link, and the weak link must

foctors' prescriptions or any other remedy for female trouble. I have tried many, both in this country and abroad, having been a sufferer eleven years, and nothing cured me until I used your remedy. I had such excruciating pains at times that I wanted to die, and indeed a life of suffering is not alluring to anyone. Your splendid medicine stengthened my nerves, restored my appetite and built up the entire system and I now enjoy perfect health."

Madam Marliani was right when she said a life of suffering was not alluring to Meanwhile the weak link bearing such a anyone. After suffering eleven years she terrible strain snaps. Death is the broken was surely fortunate to secure a remedy that would restore her to health. She could Madam Rosa Marliani, who lives at No. not get it from doctors although she went 2925 Wabash Avenue, Chicago, is one of the abroad searching for relief. The power of city and is President of the French Singers' after years of suffering has been put to the Association. She is held in high esteem severest tests, but it has never failed to by her associates who are drawn together benefit and seldom failed to effect a cure in social life by the mutual love of music. even in the most complicated cases. An-Music is an elevating influence in a com- other proof of the work of Wine of Cardui

RosaMarliani President of French Singers' Association of Chicago.

is the case of Mrs. Susan Lee, of Demopolis, Ala., who suffered nine years and was cured by taking Wine of Cardui. She

"I have been sick for nine years and was not able to do my housework for over five years. Since I have been using your remedies I have been able to work. I have only can do almost as much work now as I ever did. I cannot say enough about your medicine. I will come to the fact-I am feeling

almost young again." After reading the letters of Madam Marliani and Mrs. Lee, the only reasonable thing for an afflicted woman to do is to go to her druggist and secure a bottle of Wine of Cardui and begin the treatment at once. You can begin the treatment today in the privacy of your home. The change for the better will begin within a week. The Wine strengthens the weakest link first. Naturally that is where an improvement would be most noticeable.

Do not go on suffering for years like Madam Marliani and Mrs. Lee. Those anxious years are gone-lost when they should have been enjoyed in health. Every day you hesitate is lost and gives to useless suffering another day of your life. If you leaders in French-American society in that Wine of Cardui to restore weakened organs | need advice write The Ladies' Advisory Department, The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. Describe your symptoms as fully as possible and a free letter of advice will be sent you. All druggists sell \$1.00 bottles of Wine of Cardui.

WINE OF CARDUI

Women who have suffered and are now cured know how great a remedy this is.

lady of the city, is very sick at her home. Mr. W. J. Lewis is confined to his home or McDonough Street with sickness. The Richmond and Petersburg electric road Thursday reduced their fare for the trip to the Cockade City from sixty-five cents to sixty cents for the round-trip, and from forty cents to thirty-five cents r a single passage. Miss Grace Napier and Mr. George F.

Shanks were married Wednesday night at 'Variety courch' in Amelia county. After a short stay in the country the couple will make their future home at

No. 1112 Hull Street.

Judge Gregory, at the courthouse yesterday, speaking of the Constitution, was very emphatic in saying he thought it should be submitted to the people for a vote. Mr. W. C. Pulliam, is also for submission to the people.

Mr. E. W. Weisiger is in favor of promen who prepared it, are the best the produce, and wants to see

with skipping bills, and taking away from their bearding house, clothes valued at the sum of \$14. The names in the warrants are Willie Woldrop, Willie Holwarrants are Willie Woldrop, Willie Hol-land, and Leo Parrish.

The Court Green has been made to look

much more beautiful by recent improve-ments, and now presents to citizens, the most inviting root in the city for a cool refreshing breeze.

Mr. Basse Batte, former manager of the Southern Telephone Company of Manchester, but recently of Newport

News, was in the city yesterday. He will return to his home on Sunday next. Mr. Waverly Nunnally is issuing a circular to the voters of the First Ward.

setting forth this claim for their suffrage Mr. Peter Weisiger, who was taken to

Air, Peter Weisger, who was taken to the Virginia Hospital, last week for treatment, is reported to be much better. Robert Smith, the negro sentenced to serve five years in the penitentiary for cutting another negro, was yesterday taken to the penitentiary by Guard J. R.

Moss.
Mr. Henry Snead is very ill at his home, Seventh and Maury Streets.
Miss Bessie Mathews is spending the week with Mrs. Anna Ingram, at her home on Porter Street.
Members of the Almshouse Committee visited the institution yesterday afternoon, A thorough inspection was made and improvements ordered. The poorhouse was

rovements ordered. The poorhouse was found to be in good condition.

Lily Council, Daughters of Liberty, attended in a body the meeting of the Star and Crescent Council, in Richmond, last

Mrs. V. A. Wells, mother of Mr. E. H. Wells, is at the home of her son here en route to the home of her daughter in

Warwick county. The five-year-old son of Mr. J. I. Gal-oway is at the Old Dominion Hospital under treatment. An operation was per-

formed yesterday.
The oldest daughter of Mr. Miles Horner vas taken suddenly with appendicitis yes-erday morning. Her condition last night

Under the direction of the Board of Health and the City Engineer twelve old houses, menaces to the good looks of the city, have been torn down within the

last two months. New South Council, Jr. O. U. A. M. held a well attended meeting last night. Several initiations were made.

REVOLUTIONISTS ARE IN CONTROL

If it's a question of which—we've Have All of Santo Domingo Republic Except Two

Cities.

(By Associated Press.)

PORT AU PRINCE, HAYTI, May 2 .-All the republic of Santo Domingo, exbut we'll do the best we can for it.

Come to us for everything man or boy wears. We'll never disappoint

We'll do the best we can for it.

Come to us for everything man or boy wears. We'll never disappoint to say, when last reported, expected to arrive before San Domingo to-day.

Steamship Combine.

NEW YORK, May 2.—The managers of the international steamship syndicate writing pool amounts to \$50,000,000, 60 per cent. of which was subscribed here and 40 per cent. abroad.

COLOR LINE IN WOMAN'S CLUB

Altempt to Bring Up the Discussion Fell Flat on Yesterday.

(By Associated Press.)

LOS ANGELES, CAL., May 2.-The principal feature of the club women's convention is the withdrawal to-night of Mrs. claiming the instrument. He thinks the Robert J. Burdette, of California, from the presidential race. This insures the election of Mrs. Denison, of New York, to

it proclaimed.

For Hannon preached to a missing regation at West End Church Thursday night. The revival services which have been held at this church for the past few weeks, are in every way satisfactory to tac congregation. Much interest has been manifested in the meetings.

The are charged to the arrest of the first part of the area charged to the flower parade. Mrs. Low rode in a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a charged to the flower parade. Mrs. Low rode in a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a charged to the flower parade. Mrs. Low rode in a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning Club with 3,000 pink roses, and was a victoria, decorated by the Friday Morning

two minute reports of State presidents, who told of practical work of their federations. Such announcements as the establishment of the 900 free traveling libraries in Ohlo, and the opening of travels "treet recover" for farmers, where twenty "rest rooms" for farmers wives in Texas, precipitated so much applause that the presiding officer asked that it be suppressed in order to save time. After two years of agitation the color

question is quiescent. Some of the leadcome before the convention at all. The Massachusetts crowd is not aggressive on the subject, and the Southern delegation is glad enuogh that it be left

alone.

This decision has precipitated a report that Ellen Ruffin, of Boston, being apprised of the color apathy, is sending on a representative.

"If this is so," said Mrs. Anna D. West, a prominent Boston delegate, "Massachusetts knews nothing about it and has nothing to do with it."

RETURN TO SECRET SESSIONS

Police Commissioners Return to Practice of Sitting Behind Closed Doors. The Police Board has gone back to its old custom of secret sessions behind

Night before last there was a meetng, a good part of which failed to reach he public through the newspapers, as reporters were for a time excluded. No mention was made at that time, within reach of the representatives of the press, that the board proposed to meet again last night. The second meeting was kept mysteriously quiet. One of the after-noon papers yesterday happened upon a leak somewhere, and announced that the ocard would meet again last night. Even after this publication there was a pecu-liar lack of information at he headquar-ters of the board concerning its pur-poses in this matter. Inquiry did not result in any confirmation of the report

suit in any confirmation of the report that a meeting would be held.

About \$ o'clock, however, one after another of the members of the board began to arrive at the City Hall. To add to the apparent importance of the meeting the three police captains, one after another, came in. They do not usually attend board meetings.

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Then the doors were closed and the then the doors were closed and the board went into secret session. The public was not honored with its confidence as to the purpose or business of the meeting in the slightest degree. The precaution was even taken to instruct the secretary of the board on no account to give anything to the press, and so to the public. The same solemn and impres-sive secrecy was observed by the mem-bers of the board who were present.

SAVANNAH TRUST COMPANY.

Messrs John L. Williams and Sons Interested in the Enterprise.

(By Associated Press.)
SAVANNAH, GA., May 2.—Subscriptions to the capital stock of the Savannah Trust Company were closed to-day, with every share subscribed for. The capital \$500,000.

Among the most prominent out-of-town capitalists interested in the enterprise are J. W. Middendorf and W. A. Marburg. of Faltimore; Andrew L. Green, of Philadel hia; J. L. Williams and Sons, Richmond; Traders National Bank, of Rochester; Ladenburg, Thalman and Company, M. F. Plant, R. G. Irwin, James Byrne, E. P. Alexander and F. A. Brown, of New

York.
The corporation will purchase the building of the old Central Railway Bank, or Bay Street, and begin business immediately.

BIG SLUMP IN POWER SHARES

Caused Alternate Excited and Depressed Market; Brokerage House in Trouble.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, May 2.—As a direct result of the slump in International Power shares the stock market became afternately se-riously depressed and excited his after-noon. The stocks most affected were those in the so-called Webb group controlled by Dr. Seward Webb and his associates. These included St. Lawrence and Adiron-dack and Rutland Railroad preferred in dack and Rutland Railroad preferred in the regular Stock Exchange list, and the following "curb," or outside securities: Hackensack Meadows, Dominion Securities, North American Lumber and Pulp Storage preferred. These latter securities were most adversely affected and for a time they literally went begging. The brokerage house of Offenbach & Moore has been the recognized representative on the Stock Exchange of most, if not all, of the Webb properties, Early in the afternoon it became known that the firm was experiencing some difficulty in meeting its obligations. Complaints had been made by other Stock Exchange firms that Offenbach & Moore were backward in their stock deliveries.

Mr. Keppler conferred with Offenbach and Moore, and subsequently declared that the situation was less grave than he had been led to believe. Later in the

had been led to believe. Later in day a representative of Mr. Moore made this explanation:
"We had a very large lot of 'curb'

we had a very large lot of curb stock; in fact, we have been recently the largest dealers in 'curb' securities. It so happened that we were unable to 'swing' ourselves because of the stringency in the money market. The trouble is over row and we expect to go ahead."

Arthur L. Meyer, an officer in several of the Webb companies, denied himself

to interviewers, but his representative "All our securities will be taken care of to-morrow."

TROOPS DISOBEDIENT.

Refused to Obey Orders to Fire on Rioters at Moscow. (By Associated Press.)

LONDON, May 2—A dispatch received by Reuter's Telegraph Company from St. Petersburg, dated April 30, says: "The most serious feature of the pres-"The most serious reature of the present situation is the growing disinclination of the troops to act against the people. Punishment has already been dealt out to 800 men of the Sumy Regiment for refusing, recently, to fire on the riot-They have been trans ferred to service in various remote prov

"A detachment of marines stationed here will, it is said, be disciplined in the same manner for similar action at the time of the student riots in March,"

OVATION TO SCHLEY.

Difficult for Admiral to Pass Through Crowded Streets.

(By Associated Press.)
MERIDIAN, MISS., May 2.—Admiral
Schley and party arrived here from Jackson, Miss., this morning. The visitors remained on board their sleeper until S o'clock when they were greeted by a committee from the Board of Trade and four thousand school children, who escorted them to the City Hall amid a roar of whistles, music and cheers of thousands of visitors.

It was almost impossible for the Ad-miral and his party to pass through the crowds that lined the streets, and many old veterans insisted upon stopping the carriage and shaking hands with Admi ral Schley. Through the entire day pub-lic receptions and luncheons were tendered the distinguished visitors, and their every appearance in public was the nal for a demonstration of friendliness and cordiality.

FAST MAIL IN WRECK.

Engineer and Fireman Killed and Thir teen Mail Clerks Seriously Hurt.

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CLYDE, N. Y., May 2.—New York Central fast mail, No. 3, westbound, collided with a fast freight, going in the opposite direction, a quarter of a mile west of here at 5 P. M., and the engineer and firemen of the mail were killed, and thirteen mail clerks seriously injured. The dead:

JOHN GRANT, engineer, of Syracuse, jumped, head crushed; killed instantly.
WILLIAM KNOXSON, fireman, of
Syracuse, jumped, skull fractured and
arm torn off; died a half hour after-

CANDIDATES FOR **COUNCIL IN CREWE**

Two Sets Nominated Pledged to Vote for a Mayor Whom the Citizens Desire.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
CREWE, VA., May 2.—At a citizens' meeting, held in the hall of the "Brother-hood of Locomotive Engineers." April 29, the following ticket was nominated for Council, instructed by the people and pledged themselves to select a Mayor in pledged themselves to select a Mayor in accordance with the wishes of the people of Crewe, viz.: N. W. Nosworthy, T. J. Collings, W. W. Bland, H. B. Harvey, T. B. Oliver, W. F. Watkins, J. M. Kidd, A. L. Woody and Samuel Nicholson. Since this meeting was held another these been getter aut by an economic

Since this meeting was held another ticket has been gotten out by an opposing faction, indorsing the gentlemen named below as candidates for Councilmen, viz.: G. D. Prince, George W. Richardson, J. E. Fowikes, R. D. Allen, P. J. Crannis, A. C. Short, C. B. Layne, W. L. Welborn and J. W. Wheary.

Rev. Herbert H. Hawes, of Richmond, will arrive here to-day and will preach in the Presbyterian Church here Sunday night.

night.

might.

Rev. G. W. Dunkley will assist Rev. J.

Y. Taylor in a series of meetings at the
Methodist Church next week.

Rev. J. W. West, field secretary of
the Anti-Saloon League of Virginia, is
here for a few days in the interest of
the work.

Rev. M. F. Sandford and wife spent
several days here this week. Mr. Sandford was pastor of the Baptist Church
here for a number of years. He has resigned the pastorate of Parkesly Church,
on the Eastern Shore, to accept a charge
at Stuart, Va. at Stuart. Va.

at Stuart, Va.

Miss Mary Hix, a sister of Mrs. D. W.
Gills, of this place, died suddenly in
Richmond yesterday. The remains passed
through here to-day, en route to Pamplins, thence to Hixburg, and will be interred in the family burying ground

Miss Hix made her home here with her sister, Mrs. D. W. Gills, and was on a visit to her nephew, Mr. C. Hix, of Richmond, when the sudden summons came She had been an invalid for a number of years, but was greatly improved in health when she left here for Richmond

Easter Monday.

The "quilt craze" has struck this town in earnest. The next on the list is one gotten up by Miss Annie Phenix, for the benefit of the manse fund, the lady securing the most names and money to have the quilt. It was won by Mrs. W. A. Cook, now a resident of Petersburg, but late of Crewe. Fifty-seven dollars was raised in all.

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Mr. John Ellett, a former dispatcher here, but who resigned to accept a position with the Seaboard Air Line in Richmond, has returned and will again be employed in the main office of the Norfolk and Western here.

CRAZY WOMAN KILLED.

Frances Flournoy Took Concentrated Lye and Died in Great Agony.

Coroner Taylor looked into the circumstances of a suicide yesterday. Frances Flourney, a colored woman, died at the City Hospital from the effects of concentrated lye, a large quantity of which she had taken.

This woman was a lunatic. She lived with her mother in the rear of No. 808 East Leigh Street. Tuesday in the the family heard her crying, "Fire!" 'Fire!" and ran to her room. She was quietly sinoking. Knowing her to be "flighty" smoking. Knowing her to be "lighty" and thinking she meant the fire in her pipo, thehouse became quiet again. Later, however, she was seized with racking pains. They huated around and disor concentrated lye had been taken.

The ambulance was called and the suffering woman was taken to the City Hospital.

Thursday night she died from the effects of her dose. Yesterday morning the coroner was notified and took a look at the remains. He decided that an inquest was not necessary .

MUST HAVE THE NOTICE PRINTED

The Primary Plan Makes Publication Mandatory—Tenth District Situation.

Interest in the congressional end of Virginia politics still centers in the probability of a contest for the Democratic nomination in the Tenth District, and the friends of Mr. Tucker are still insisting that he shall enter the struggle.

He has the matter under advisement and will reach a definite conclusion within the next few days. He has until noon on Wednesday, May the 7th. instead of Tuesday, as heretofore stated, the former being sixty days before the date of the primary, which is July 6th.

In looking over the plan under which the district committees are acting, it is discovered that it provides for the publication by the chairmen of the various district committees in all the Democratic newspapers in their respective districts for at least one week of a notice giving the date on which the primary will be held and the date on which the time for candidates to enter will expire.

Although the time for the latter does not expire in this district until July 10th. Chairman Easley on yesterday sent out his notices to the Democratic papers of the district. In the Sixth District, Chairman Eggleson has sent out his, and to be sure there shall be every fa-

Chairman Eggleson has sent out als, and to be sure there shall be every facility offered any who may desire to enter they are ordered to be printed three times in each paper.

BOTHA PRISONER OF THE BRITISH

Colonel Barker Captured the Boer General and His Adjutant.

(By Associated Press.)

PRETORIA, May 2.-Colonel Barker reports that April 3d he captured Com-mandant Manie Botha, his adjutant and eleven others near Frankfort. Orange River Colony. This is regarded as im-portant, as Manie Botha is a nephew of the commandant general, and is General Dewet's ablest lieutenant.

Pill-Price.-The days of 25 cents a box for pills are numbered. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills, at 10 cents a vial, are surer, tafer and pleasanter to take. Cure Constipation, Sick and Nervous Headaches, Lizziness, Lassitude, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite and all troubles arising from liver disorder.—67. Sold by Tragle Medicine Company, No. 817 East Broad Street, Richmond, Va.

DRESS MAKERS

And All Women Who Work, either for their Living or for Society, are Subject to the Same Organic Troubles. How Many Are Cured.

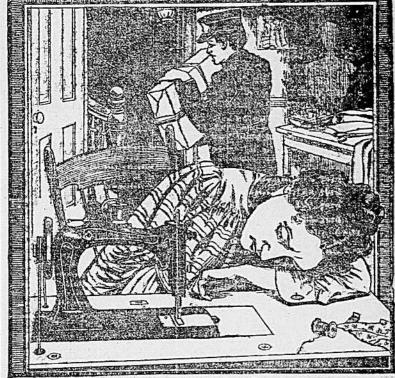
A gorgeous costume flashed beneath the brilliant lights of a ball room. The queen of society is radiant to-night.

The nervous hands of a weak woman have tolled day and night, the weary form and aching head have known no rest, for the dress had to be finished in time.

To that queen of society and her dressmaker we would say a word. One through hothouse culture, luxury and social excitement, and the other through the toil of necessity, may some day find their ailments a common cause.

Nervous prostration, excitability, fainting spells, dizziness, sleeplessness, loss of appetite and strength, all indicate serious trouble, which has been promoted by an over-taxed system.

For the society queen and the dressmaker alike, there is nothing so reliable as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore strength, vigor, and happiness.



six Years' Suffering Cured.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I suffered for six years, sometimes being unable to get about at all. It seemed to me as though I could not live, and I did not care to. I had womb trouble, kidney trouble, lencorrhæa, backache, was nervous and had no ambition to do anything or go anywhere. Was obliged to give up my trade of sewing. I tried three doctors but they did me no good. Seeing your advertisement I thought I would try your medicine. I felt better after the first bottle, and by the time I had taken six I was able to resume my work again. I shall always praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. Mary A. Russell, Chincoteague Island, Va. (Dec. 14, 1900.)

If there is anything in your case about which you would like special advice, write freely to Mrs. Pinkham. No man will see your letter. She can surely help you, for no person in America has such a wide experience in treating female ills as she has had. She has helped hundreds of thousands of women back to health. Her address is Lynn, Mass., and her advice is free. You are very

foolish if you do not accept her kind invitation.

Mrs. Lizzie Anderson, 49 Union St., Salem, N.J. "DEAR MRS. PINEHAM:—I feel it my duty to write and tell you how grateful I am to you for what your medicine has done for me. At one time I suffered everything a woman could. I had inflammation of the ovaries, falling of the womb, and leucorrhea. At times could not hold a needle to sew. The first dose of your Vegetable Compound helped me so much that I kept on using it. I have now taken six bottles and am well and able to do my work. I also ride a wheel and feel no bad effects from it. I am thankful to the Giver of all good for giving you the wisdom of curing suffering women. I recommend your medicine to every woman troubled with any of these diseases."

REWARD. — We have deposited with the National City Bank of Lyan, \$5000, which will be paid to any person who can find that the above testimental letters are not genuine, or were published before obtaining the writer's special permission.

Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Representative of Emory and Henry Got Decision in Intercollegiate Debate.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) ERISTOL, TENN., May 2.-The inter-

collegiate oratorical contest of the State of Virginia took place at Emory and Henry College, at Emory, Washington county. Virginia, to-night. It was a highly in-teresting contest, and was witnessed by as many ladies and gentlemen as could find room in the spacious college chapel The honor was very closely contested for, but the committee, after carefully weighing all the points, decided in favor weighing all the points, decided in favor of Mr. Ike A. Wynn, of Emory and Henry College. Mr. Wynn's home is at Jonesville. Lee county, Virginia, and he has been a student at Emory for three or four

years. The other colleges participating were represented as follows: University of Virginia, W. L. Kinsolving. Washington and Lee, Walter H. Atkins; William and Mary, Floyd T. Holland: Hampden-Sidney, R. C. Stokes; Randolph-Macon, Charles T. Thrift; Richmond College, Lane Lacy; Roanoke College, C. M. Marshall, The judges of the contest were from John A. Buchanan, of the Supreme Court; Dr. R. H. Hundall, of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, and ex-State Sei E. F. Buchanan, of Marion, Virginia.

Telegraphic Brevities.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Mrs. Roosevelt and her son, Theodore, Jr., left this fore-neon over the Baltimore and Ohio Railread for Oakland, Md., in order to give young Theodore the benefit of change of They will return Monda LOUISVILLE, KY .- Al. Weinig, of Buffalo, was knocked out to-night by Joe Chovnski, of Chicago, before the Empire Athletic Club, in the sixth round of one of the fiercest bouts ever fought in this city.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Mary F. Hix.

Mrs. Mary F. Hix, of Appomattox coun-Mrs. Mary F. Hix, of Appomattox county, died very suddenly Thursday afterroon at the home of her nephew, Mr.
C. H. Hix, superlutendent of the Scaboard
Air Line. Mrs. Hix was visiting here at
the time of her death. She was seventythree years of age. The remains will
be taken to Appomattox for interment. Mrs. Mary J. Billups.

Mrs. Mary J. Billups died Thursday af-ternoon at the home her husband, No. 700 North Twenty-eighth Street. The funeral took place from the home vesterd rning, interment being made in Oak-

Carter C. Knight. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)
FARMVILLE, VA., May 2.—Death

claimed Mr. Carter C. Knight at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. G. Dunning-ton, last night, after a stubborn fight had been made against that dreadful disease, consumption. Mr. Knight was born in Prince Edward county twenty-seven rears ago, but only lived here a short while, having moved to Louisville, Ky., where he held a responsible position with where he held a responsible position with the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad. He remained in Louisville until his health commenced to give away, when he was taken to High Point, N. C., hoping that the change of climate would prove beneficial. He continued to grow worse and remained in a North Caralina heartful remained in a North Carolina hospital

remained in a North Carolina hospital for several months, when he was brought to Farmville about six weeks ago and taken to the country home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Dunnington.

He leaves a wife, two children and several brothers and sisters. Mr. John T. Knight, one of his brothers, is a major in the United States army and is held in the highest estern. Mrs. Dunington the highest esteem. Mrs. Dunnington, one of his sisters, is the wife of Mr. W. C. Dunnington, who is agent for the Austrian and Italian Governments and is one of the largest tobacco buyers in the world. The funeral and burial services will take place to-morrow afternoon from the house and the remains will be laid to rest in the Farmville Cemetery. Rev. Dr. Hardwill officiate.

Mrs. Mollie E. Talley. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

PETERSBURG, VA. May 2.-Mrs. Molile E. Talley, wife of Dr. A. W. Tale ley, a prominent dentist of Petersburg died suddenly about 3 o'clock this morndied suddenly about 3 o'clock this morning at the home of her husband in thif
city. Mrs. Talley was in the best of
health yesterday evening, and attended
the reception given by Mrs. Harvey Seward. On her way home she said she
felt fatigued, and soon after arriving
there she was taken ill and rapidly
grew worse, dying about 3 o'clock after
only four hours' illness. Mrs. Talley was
a sister of Misses Kate and Sallie Rob. n sister of Misses Kate and Sallie Rob ertson and Mr. Lucius Robertson, of this city. She leaves two sons, Messrs. Frank and Alexander Tailey.

The funeral will take place to-merrow

morning at 11 o'clock from the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. T. S. Titus.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) (Special Dispatch to The Times.)
I EESBURG, VA., May 2-Mrs. T. S.
Titus died in Washington city at 2.3
c'clock this morning. Mrs. Titus had
been a great sufferer from cancer for
many months, and death came as a release. She was in the fifty-second year
of her age, and was born and reared in toudoun county. Her life was spent near Leesburg until a few months ago, when she accompanied her family to Washington. She is survived by her husband and a large family of children—four sons and three daughters—all of whom reside in Washington except Mr. E. T. Titus who Her remains will be brought to Loudown for interment.

